

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

## Structure Fire 1300 block of Santa Barbara Street

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February 18, 2012, at approximately 6:30pm, Santa Barbara City Fire Engines 1, 3, 5, Truck, and Battalion Chief responded to a report of a structure fire on Santa Barbara Street. Fire crews determined that the fire was on the 1300 block of Santa Barbara Street. Upon arrival fire crews found residents using a garden hose to attempt to extinguish a fire in a small apartment unit located in the back section of the property. Crews quickly extinguished the fire and determined that there were no residents inside. Further search of the residence revealed an injured cat. The cat received treatment and oxygen from firefighters and was transported to a local animal care facility. No firefighters were injured during this incident. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

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